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Mystery & Enchantment for your approval & gardening pleasure.

All plants offered on these paragraphs are flowering sizes, specially grown or collected for us in Africa. These are primarily house plants except in Southern Galifornia, Florida & the Southeastern USA. All are very colorful, very unusual & since we buy from the collectors,

our prices are lowest.

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TULBACHIA FRAGRANS

TULBAGHIA FRAGRANS, is a plant that is gradually coming into a well deserved popularity, The plants grow 8-10 inches tall, are evergreen & bloom repeatedly from Nov to Jan with umbels of pink fragrant blossoms that look like a pink narcissus. One plant will pleasantly scent an entire room. IT is a dwarf African Amaryllis, prices 3/41. Makes excellent cut flowers.

FOOTBALL LILLY

FOOTBALL LILIX, HAEMANTHUS KATHERIANAE, this plant is a very unusual African Amaryllis, that has a very larke umbel of brilliant scarlet orange flowers, about 10-12 inches in diameter. The plant is very striking in appearance when in flower. Following which the foliage develops resembling a small rubber plant. Blooms in the Fall, sets seeds readily and is vigorous. Foremrly sold 0 \$7.50, our price 0 \$2. Plants grow 12 inches tall,

These plants are illustrated in Chabot's H. Kathenlania greenhouse Gardening but they grow well as house plants.

SPECIAL!!! CRINUM HYBRIDS, very few large White Trumpet Amaryllids

NERINES are interesting South African dwarf Amaryillids, growing 8-10 inches tall & fall blooming in varying shades of pink, light lilac and lilac. To flowers are arranged in umbels similar to a Roman Hyacinth, with all flowers at top of umbel.

We offer the following: - Nerine boudeinii, has attractively twisted foliage, pink flowers. N. sarniensis, the foliage is varigated, green & white, light lilac flowers. Somtimes we have N. kreigerii & N. filifolii, all uniformly priced 3/41.

NERINE HYBRIDS, these are English Hybrids, greenhouse raised from seeds that produce larger blossoms of uniform color @ 43.

ORNITHOGALUM THYROIDES, this is also known as GINGERINJEE . The small bulbs bloom in the middle of winter, Jan to March, which flowers are scarce, they are an ivery white with attractively

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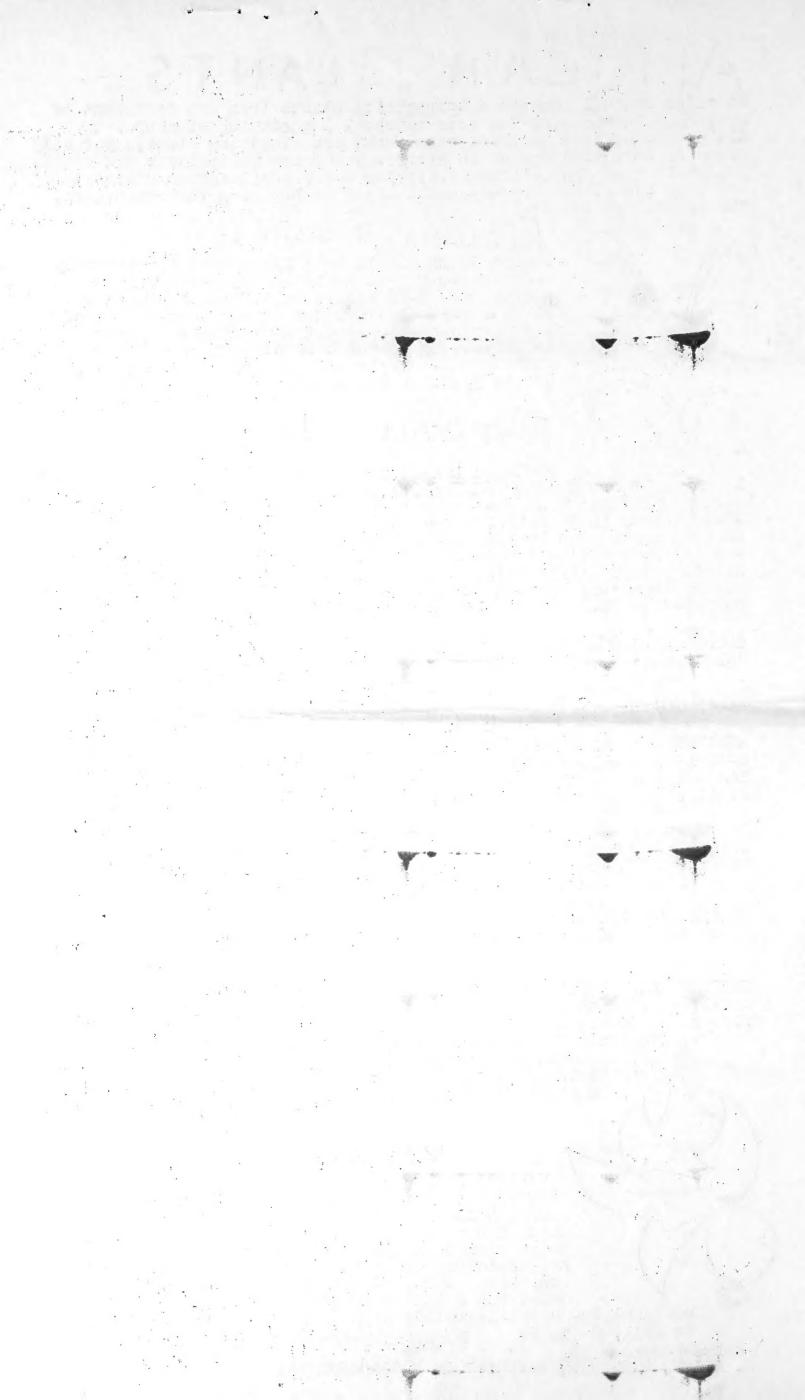
From South Africa to Boston. They sell very well and are a bicolored Star of Bethelehem, 3/41.

VALLOTA PURPURA

VALLOTA PURPURA, One of the most beautiful & rarely seen African Amaryllids. The flowers are Big, bold & brassy RED. They can best be described as a RED RED. I have never seen anything redder except on a fire engine. They are not miniatures like the above plants, but born on large stems, 8-12 inches tall 2-4 flowers measuring 8 inches in diameter. They closely

measuring 8 inches in diameter. They closely resembel the usual Amaryllis hippeastrum' except they bloom in Fall, @ \$3, PP Peruvian Daffodil 'SULFUR QUEEN'

Golden Igmene @ 32.
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WE OFFER FOR YOUR HOBBY PLEASURE ABSOLUTELY THE rarest aquatic plants, jungle collected by our exclusive agents. Bring a few of these tropical gems into your tanks to make them romantic. .

> Most of these plants are selected for their ability to live in artificial(shade) light, except where noted. For greater value they are offered in collections, at reduced prices.

'WAVEY LEAVED LACE PLANT', A. crispun, light green attractive leaves with ruffled edges, white flowers in summer, from our healthy bulbs.

'POOR MAN'S LACE PLANT', A. ulvaceous (INDIAN), this plant has fower ruffles than above, slightly smaller, but leaves more red tinged.

DWARF AQUARIUM LILLIES, two types. N. stellata, black bulbs, dwarfest lilly, blue flowers, rarely white & sometimes Pink, illustrated to rt, & Dwarf Madagascar Lilly, Daubin, always blue flowers. Weeds bright sunlight to thrive.

'TEMPLE PLANT', N. Stricta, an attractive ornamental Giant member of Hygrophilla family, blue flowers. Likes Heat & light.

Prices above @ \$1.25, Any Three Different, your choice \$3. This is our advortised TEMPLE PLANT COLLECTION!

'RHUBARB LACE PLANT', Cryptocoryne somphongs, has attractive crinkled leaves, contrasting red stems, beautiful with overhead light.

'Cryptocoryne undulatum', semi-dwarf plant, 6" tall, bright red with ruffled leaves, very, very attractive.

RARE red A. Crispum, A naturally occuring bright red form. CLANT CRYPT, crinkled light green leaves 12-18 inches tall, handsome. Crypt. nurii, Bicolored Malayan crypt, very attractive.

Echinodorus Longistylus Melon Sword' very beautiful, new leaves bright rod.

Ech. radicana, Guyenesis' Ech. macrostylus(new), Ech. cordifolia, (collophane Plant)

PRICES Above plants C 2.25. 'ADVERTISED CONNOISSEUR'S COLLECTION, your choice of any TWO above plants, PLUS 'TIMPLE PLANT collection an \$8.50 value for \$6.

GIANT RED MALAYAN CRYPT, this is a most handsome plant, discovered and as yet unauned. The plant grows up to 15" tall, and is bright red underneath & violaccous red on surface. Grows slowly.

TRUE LACE PLANT, A. fenestralis, 'QUEEN OF AQUATICS', sturdy leaves, that have holes in them, lace-like.

INDONESIAN LANCE FERN, Campylogramma lancifolia, true underwater creeping form, viviparous leaves, very attractive.

BORNEO CRYPE , purple spotted bicolored from Borneo.

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WATER LILY POOL, \$3, PP, COMPLETE WITH BLOOMING SIZED LILY, N. stellata, most satisfactory of the graceful small growing types, with near standard sized blue blossoms.

These healthy bulbs are raised in the tropics, where they store up an abundance of tropical energy and rushed from our direct field collector to us via airplane, losing none of their vitality. They are set to explode in your garden, giving you the benefit of their stored energy. Most are blue, a few bulbs are the rare white or pink. We can't separate them.

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Water ferns, Nitella, Duckweed and Salvinia, best hiding plants for pool or aquarium, all more or less floating, @ 25¢, or smaller plants assorted for 50½. These plants allow plenty of hiding space for live bearer fishes, so a high percentage of them are saved.

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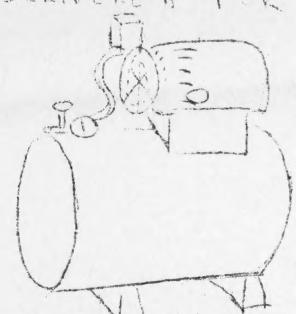
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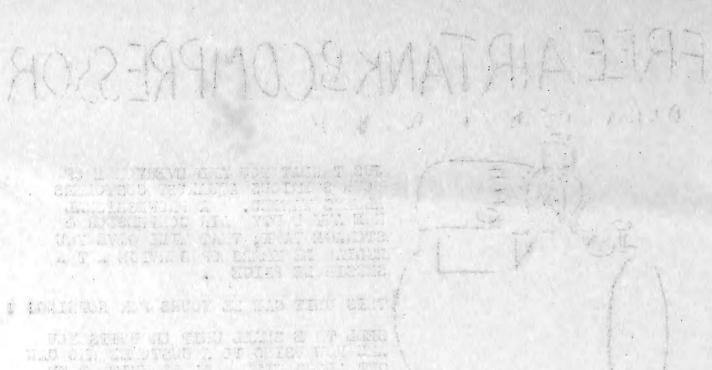
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GUPPIES, FANCY VEILTAIL GUPPIES, HYDRIDS OF THE GERMAN SUPERBA STRAIN, in which the males are 20-30% larger, and all prominent American strains. These guppies, grow & mature very rapidly, and the females produce their first litter of young when 60 days old. All females are colored in some fashion, some with black spot at base of dorsal, and other black spots, some spotted chromide rrange. We offer the guppies, with all males producing tails equal to their own b ody length in the following series of colors.

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AFRICAN IMPORTS, frogs, & \$2. ELECTRIC EELS & \$15. LU G FISHES & \$15. PLEMATOCH ROMIS, COLORFUL DWARF AFRICAN CICHLID, see colored illustration in Surner issue T.F.H., \$5 pair.

ASIAN IMPORTS, LABEOS, we have red sharks, black sharke, and some gree n African sharks, all uniformly priced at @ \$8.

CHAMNA, these are long fishes, like snakes, large mouths, egg layers that gurad their young & eggs, Priced C \$2.50 for small, and up. Depending on shipping & breeding.

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